

SECTION X– MISCELLANEOUS

SUBSECTION 1. COMMUNICATIONS POLICY

- A. The President shall be responsible for promoting effective communications.
- B. The President shall be the primary spokesperson for the Board.
- C. The Executive Director will be the primary spokesperson for all operational issues. The responsibilities in this regard are further defined in the Corporate Operations Manual.
- D. All communications from community or membership sources will be given the courtesy of an appropriate response in a timely manner.
- E. The President and the Executive Director will share responsibility to process all incoming communications and ensure the appropriate response is forthcoming from committee, Board or staff sources.
- F. Agents of GVR shall be required to adhere to the published “Members Code of Conduct” in all transactions on behalf of the membership.

SUBSECTION 2. PETITIONS FOR BOARD CANDIDATES AND PROPOSED BYLAW AMENDMENTS

- A. Petition Process
 - 1. Petitioning Member will contact the Executive Assistant (EA) (or designated staff member) at Member Services Center to review the process and will sign, in the presence of that staff member, the Statement of Agreement. The Statement indicates that the petitioner has read and agrees to the petition process contained in this section of the CPM for the handling of petitions.
 - 2. All petitions shall be on the proper form available from the Executive Assistant. After the form has been signed and witnessed by the Executive Director or designee, the petitioner may make multiple copies of the Form and shall pre-number each. The petitioner may then begin obtaining signatures with addresses, and GVR numbers.
 - 3. Signatures may be collected on GVR properties, but not in dedicated club spaces, nor in auditoriums during GVR-sponsored events, concerts or performances. Petitioners are reminded to be respectful of members.
- B. Requirements for Signatures
 - 1. Signatures on the petition shall be made in the presence of the petitioner or their designee.
 - 2. As with voting, in the event that more than one (1) signature is cast for a particular GVR property, none of the signatures from that property shall be counted.
 - 3. After the required number of signatures is collected, the Petition Forms shall be returned for validation to the Secretary of the Corporation at GVR Member Services Center.
 - 4. After validation is complete, the petitioner will be notified as to whether the Petition Forms meet the requirements for the matter to be placed on the ballot.
 - 5. All petitions must conform to GVR Bylaws and the Arizona Revised Statutes.

Section X was approved by the GVR Board of Directors on August 23, 2011.